

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Marlene Mueller Confirmation No: 2963

Serial No.: 10/565,514 Group Art Unit: 1657

Filed: January 23, 2006 Examiner: T. Gough

For: Saccharification Processes

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))

Mail Stop Patent Extension
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated February 27, 2009 be extended for a period of one month from May 27, 2009 to June 27, 2009. As June 27th fell on a Saturday, this response is deemed timely filed on Monday, June 29, 2009.

All required fees were charged to Novozymes North America, Inc.'s Deposit Account No. 50-1701 at the time of electronic filing. The USPTO is authorized to charge this Deposit Account should any additional fees be due.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: June 29, 2009

/Jennifer Fox, Reg. # 52218/
Jennifer L. Fox, Reg. No. 52,218
Novozymes North America, Inc.
500 Fifth Avenue, Suite 1600
New York, NY 10110
(919) 494-3197